CHICAGO VOTERS CLASH: ONE STABBED

WILSON OFF FOR SUMMER WHITE HOUSE

Press of Official Work Calls for His Presence at Shadow Lawn.

MRS. HOWE SINKING

Sister of President Under Influence of Opiates and Unable to Recognize Him.

New London, Conn., Sept. 13 .-The naval yacht Maytlower, with President Wilson aboard, steamed out of the harbor at 6 o'clock this morning. The Maytlower will take the president to Sandy Hook, where an automobile will be waiting to take him to the summer White house at Long Branch, N. J. He expected to arrive at Long Branch about 5 o'clock this after-

Hent here, had advised him that from ed here today. now on Mrs. Howe would be constantly that she might live for several days.

The president left directions here 68,926, that during his journey to Sandy Hook | Blease he be kept informed of his sister's con-

before leaving this morning, but re- Fletcher, 8,030; Gates, 6,036

Political Conferences Ahead.

of official business awaiting him at Leadville, his opponent, was 14,913. Shadow Lawn, and in order to attend ences later this week. Both Vance Mc- tion for governor. Cormick, chairman of the democratic | For the senatorial nomination 310

BAKERS ASKED TO STATE ALL FACTS

Proposed Increase in Bread Price Must Face Scrutiny of a Federal Investigation.

Chicago, Sept. 12. - Announcement was made today that bakers who main- into a telegraph pole. ain they must increase the price of an opportunity to show Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney, the figures to support their assertions. They may produce their books for examination by government experts, it Was said

Mrs. Julian Heath, president of the Sational Housewives' league, expected today to cooperate in an investigation of conditions which brought about the increase proposal.

"We don't know yet who is responsible for the proposed increase," said Mrs. Heath after a conference with Mr. Clyne. "Members of the league in all parts of the country are gathering information concerning the present sit-

"Bakers everywhere tell the same Mory-that the increase in the cost of bgredients makes the increase neceseary. It may be that the demand for wheat abroad is the original cause of all the trouble. In such a case, unless there is an embargo, we will have to teach women how to get the most out of the 10-cent loaves of bread."

THE WEATHER

Forecast Till 7 P. M. Temorrow, for Rock Island, Davenport, Moline and Vicinity Generally fair tonight and Thurs-

day, warmer tonight, cooler Thursday: fresh winds. Temperature at 7 a. m. 54. Highest Pesterday 76, lowest last night 53.

Velocity of wind at 7 a. m. 3 miles per hour.

Relative humidity at 7 p. m. 71, at a. m. 92, at 1 p. m. today 57. Stage of water 4 feet, a fall of .1

2 the last 24 hours. J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster,

Argus Will Give Primary Returns

The Argus this evening will receive returns of the Illinois primary over its leased Associated Press wire. The vote in Rock Island county will be gathered as soon as available. Bulletins from over the state will be received as rapidly as they are gathered by the offices of the Associated Press in Chicago. The returns will be flashed on a large canvas on the Rock Island house, across the street from The Argus building. You are invited to come down town and read the bulletins. If you prefer to remain at home you can get the news by phoning The Argus.

ELECTION VIEWS IN OTHER STATES

Former Governor Cole L. Blease Loses in South Carolina to Present Governor Manning.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 13.—Governor Richard I. Manning has been renominated for governor of South Caro-The president decided to leave New lina over former Governor Cole L. London last night after physicians at- Blease, according to nearly complete tending his sister, Mrs. Anna E. Howe, unofficial returns from yesterday's whose critical illness brought the pres- democratic "run off" primary, compil-

Governor Manning's vote, including under the influence of oplates and that cast by the national guardsmen would be anable to recognize him and on the border, with only 84 small South Carolina precincts missing, was compared with 64,374 for

Burlington, Vt., Sept. 13.—Returns by wireless. Should there be a from the first direct primary held yes sudden turn for the worse he plans to terday in Vermont showed today that Carrol S. Page, republican of Hyde Abulletin issued during the forenoon Park, had been renominated for the by Drs. E. P. Davis and H. M. Lee, at- United States senate by a vote 50 per tending the president's sister, read: cent greater than the aggregate vote "Mrs. Howe's condition is essentially of his two opponents. With all but 58 of the 284 election precincts heard The president did not come ashore from, the vote was: Page, 23,180;

Denver, Col., Sept. 13 .- On the face was about the same. Joseph Wilson of of returns received up to \$:15 o'clock Baltimore, his brother, and Miss Mar- this morning, George A. Carlson, gov- p. m.) - French and Serbian troops garet Wilson, his daughter, remained ernor of Colorado, has been nominated have taken the offensive on the westhere, but joined with the attending by the republicans of the state as a ern end of the Macedonian front. They and leaders of the strikers will make Eight days ago Wheeler left his bride beth Nichols, widow of a New York asserted that he had no fear of defeat physicians in urging the president to candidate to succeed himself. At that have captured the town of Sorovitz, their formal replies to the recommen- of six months. Later Mrs. Wheeler re- millionaire, owed his arrest here yes- his rival by the Sullivan faction and hour, with 396 of the 2,870 precincts near Florina. in the state, Carlson's vote was 15,596. The president has an accumulation while that of Samuel D. Nicholson of

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 13.-With reto it he probably will go to the execu- turns coming in slowly today from tive offices at Asbury Park, N. J., to- yesterday's primary election, the out- office. morrow. Secretary Tumulty has not come in the contests for the republibothered him with business since he can nomination for United States sencame here. Mr. Wilson has paid practator and governor were in doubt, alfically no attention to his campaign for though Miles Poindexter, incumbent, reelection, but unless he is summoned was leading for the senatorial nomback here within the next few days, ination and former Governor Henry he will hold several political confer- McBridge was ahead for the nomina-

national committee, and Homer S. precincts of 2,443 in the state gave Cummings, vice chairman, are anxious for senator, first and second choice to consult him about plans for the votes added: Poindexter, 15,606; William E. Humphrey, 13,962; E. A. Bry-

an, 11,992 358; George A. Lee, 4,717; W. J. Sut-statement, which says in part:

MACOMB WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Macomb, Ill., Sept. 13.-Mrs. George Switzer was killed and Mrs. Henry rol of his automobile, which crashed card, on the railroad station at Roisel,

bread or face bankruptcy will be given Competing for Big Armor-Plate Plant, bivouges near Damvillers, on Montfrom nearly all of the principal cities on the Uckangen iron foundries, on navy department today to urge the railroad from Metz to Pont-A-Mousadvantages of sites offered for the son. \$11,060,000 government armor plate plant authorized in the new naval appropriation bill. More than 300 men and congressmen. Many cities not written briefs in behalf of their are: Chicago, Lomax and Metropolis, III.; Newton, Iowa, and St. Louis, Mo.

Latest Bulletins

New York, Sept. 13. Miss Grace Nevins, a prominent suffragist, was found dead in her apartment here today. The police reported the case as one of suicide, attributable probably to Ill health.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Charles Bauer entered a candy factory in which his wife was employed today and in the presence of a score of workers shot her to death. He then fled to the roof of the building and shot himself and died after reaching the hospital. They had been estranged.

Kansas City, Sept. 13. Major William Warner, former United States senator from Missouri, is seriously ill at his home here today, from arterlo sclerosis,

17 FIGHTS IN AIR; TEUTONS LOSE 1 FLIER

French on the Somme Capture Village in Fierce Night Battle.

SERBS ON OFFENSIVE

Violent Fighting Is Going On in the Region of Lake Ostrovo.

Paris, Sept. 13, (Noon.)—The French have captured the village of Bouchavesnes, on the Somme front. The official announcement of today says the village, which is in the region of Combles, was taken from the Germans last even-

The official statement says: "North of the Somme fighting con tinued last evening. The village of Bouchavenes was attacked toward 8 o'clock In the evening and carried in its entirety by our troops in a brilliant fight. The enemy had strongly entrenched himself During the night our infantry organized itself in the conquered position.

their advance eastward, took by as sault the Bois L'Abbe farm, situated 600 metres eastward of the Bethune road, southeast of Bouchavenes. We ook some additional prisoners. "On the right bank of the Meuse Verdun front) we made some prog-

"This morning our troops continuing

ress in the northern portion of the Vauges-Chapitre wood The French also took by assault a wood 600 yards east of the road from Peronne to Bethune. On the Verdun front the French made progress in the northern part of the Vaux-Chapitre

French and Serbs Get Town.

Nothwithstanding the stout resistbian troops on the Macedonian front tlement of the questions at issue by ious points, it is announced by the war unofficially their intention to reject the Violent fighting is in progress recommendation. in the vicinity of Lake Ostrovo, where the Serbians have gained considerable today and passengers were forced to ground.

British troops which took the offen- extreme. sive recently on the Macedonian front, forcing a passage of the Struma river cording to an official report issued to- other vehicles.

Were 17 Air Fights on Somme.

Paris, Sept. 13, (3:33 p. m.) - Numerous aerial engagements and raids For governor, 168 precincts, first by French aviators on points behind and second choice votes added: Hen- the German lines are reported in the ry McBridge, 8,764; Roland Hartley, aviation section of today's official

"On the Somme front our aeroplanes fought 17 engagements yester-Aizecourt and the other near Moislains. Four other enemy machines appear to have been badly damaged. "Last night our bombarding squadon denots at Hendlcourt, on enemy in stallations in the region of Etain, on

Bulgars Make More Gains.

iels began his hearings, most of the further gains, says the official an- their intention to continue to operate delegations being headed by senators nouncement issued yesterday at Sofia, their lines on the present basis.

"Our troops are continuing to adrepresented by spokesmen sent in vance in Dobrudja," the statement closed today, are investigating a reclaims. Among those seeking the plant Ostrovo lake, there was activity on the Interborough with an explosive. ing was spirited.

persed them.

"In an encounter in the Struma valley, near Nevoylen and Kardziko on Sept. 10 the enemy lost seven officers and about 100 men killed. "A hostile fleet is cruising off the

Aegean coast." "Last evening enemy aircraft homslight damage," the statement adds.

Italians Captere Pass. Alps on the far northerly line of the Manager R. R. Blake of the store Austro-Italian front have captured a would not divulge the amount of position commanding Travenanzes money taken beyond stating that the pass and cutting Austria's communi- sum was worth while. Burglar incations between the Travenanzes val- surance is carried. Police believe the ley and the Lagazuci region, the war work to be that of a .gang of safe office announced today. Minor offen- crackers which has been operating in sive actions continue in the Arsa and this part of the state for some weeks Upper Pozina valleys.

HUNDRED PER CENT NOISE!



President Shonts Refuses Proposal of Mayor Mitchel Bearing on Car Strike.

in the meeting of the public service dation of the commission for an immeance of the Teutonic allies, the Ser- diate suspension of the strike and sethave made important progress at var- arbitration. Both sides have announced

But few surface cars were operated use the subways and elevated roads. Loudon, Sept. 13, (4:13 p. m.) -The Congestion at express stations was

Although transportation within the city is far from paralyzed, thousands the giant Redwood park, according to scar on the index finger of Waltonen's trict, and John McKenzle, republican and capturing several villages, have are compelled to resort to the use of wood received here. Hundreds made no further efforts to advance, ac-

There was little or no violence durthat policemen were stationed on roof not checked. tops where attacks had been made on elevated trains.

Hugh Frayne, state organizer of the American Federation of Labor, announced today that between 12,000 and 20,000 men will take part in a parade and demonstration tomorrow.

Mayor Mitchel, it developed today, day. Two German machines were has under consideration two methods brought down, one in the direction of of settling the strike. One is to re- caved in early today. It was in anothquest Governor Whitman to call a spea law compelling both sides to accept arbitration, while the other proposes Emons was seriously injured here rons dropped bombs on the railroad the immediate granting of a franchise last night when Mr. Switzer lost con- station and small buildings at Guis- to the New York Bus company, incorporated, to run machines through cer tain streets.

The Interborough Rapid Transit and the New York Raffways company Washington, Sept. 13.—Delegations medy station, on Thionville station, formally rejected today the public service commission's recommendaof the east and south gathered at the iron foundries at Rombach and on the tion for a strike settlement made yesterday.

The two companies, controlling the subway, elevated and "green car" Berlin, Sept. 13, thy wireless to Say- surface lines, declined to hold further ville). The Bulgarian army, which is conferences with the representatives were on hand when Secretary Dan-invading eastern Rumania, has made of the union and announced that it is

> Brooklyn detectives, it was "On the Macedonian front, near ported plot to damage property of the part of patrols, as well as artillery cylindrical package four inches by fighting. Near Doiran artillery fight- three inches in dimension was found by a track walker near the Borough "Two Italian companies advanced in hall subway station in Brooklyn late the direction of Butkova (near the last night. It contained dynamite of Struma river) and Dzuma. We dis- the powerful kind generally used in undersea operations.

YEGGS BLOW SAFE, MAKE GOOD HAUL

Ottumwa, Iowa, Sept. 13.-The safe of the Woolworth company's store barded Venice, Pordenone, Latisaznao, was blown here early today and the Marano, Cervignano and Aquileia, contents taken by yeggmen, who afwounding a few civilians and doing fected an entrance to the building by the rear door. The safe, which is kept near the front of a double build-Rome, Sept. 13, (via London, 5:44 ing, was moved to the rear and p. m.)-Italian troops in the Dolomite wrecked by a charge of explosives. 4 past.

Mining Man Was Suicide

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 13. - A New York, Sept. 13. — Inter-st in the strike today centered last night of the body of J. Anson the detective instinct of a Finn, mismoter, in a Los Angeles hotel room. A that the alleged murderer of Mrs. Eliza- ecutive by William B. Brinton, Dixon, revolver was found beside the body. declared he would take his own life unless he should receive business papers he expected from England.

FOREST FIRES MENACE GIANT REDWOOD PARK

MANY ARE INJURED IN TUNNEL CAVEIN

Cleveland, Sept. 13 .- One man was fatally injured and 16 others hurt when the roof of a water tunnel being dug under the floor of Lake Erie er section of the same tunnel that 19 cial session of the legislature to pass men were killed by a gas explosion several weeks ago.

THE WAR TODAY

Instead of resting on the ground won in yesterday's great attack north of the Somme, the French continued their thrust last night, capturing the village of Bouchavenes and a wooded area nearby. Bouchavenes lies east of the Bapaume-Peronne road and its capture with adjacent territory apparently clinches French possession of this main highway to Peronne.

Combles is now cut off from the south and in a dangerous salient, while General Foch is in a favorable position for a stroke from the north at Peronne, which appears seriously threatened by the new French advance.

The British, who hold the lines northwest of Combles, are maintaining a firm grip on Ginchy.

In Macedonia, Athens announces a joint advance by French and Serbian troops, who have captured Sorovitz, near Florina, while Paris reports important progress near Lake Ostrovo. The German war office declares

the operations against the Rumanians in southern Dobrudia province are proceeding methodically. It also announces that German troops have been sent into Transylvania, where they are in contact with the Rumanians who have advanced in the Hermannstadt and Hoetzing districts, Italian troops are reported actively engaged along the Macedonian front in the Balkans. They are operating west of the Struma near Butkova.

The Zaimis cabinet in Greece is ent of office with the acceptance of resignations by King Constantine,

SCAR ON FINGER **SOLVES MURDER**

Amateur Detective Studied Vivid Tell-Tale Mark.

-Ironwood, Mich., Sept. 13 .- It was to York a year ago.

Eight months ago Arthur Waltonen. a Finn giving the name of John Lind, J. Lucey, attorney general of Illinois, dropped off a train at Ironwood. He was unmindful of hopes and fears, as went to work as a barber in the shop he was unopposed for renomination of Walter Hoint.

San Jose, Cal., Sept. 13.—Forest fires also dropped into Ironwood and went publican tickets were in the same sitraging in the Santa Cruz mountains to the shop where Waltonen was em- uation. Charles E. Fuller, republican were threatening today to spread into ployed, for a shave. He noticed a livid congressman from the Twelfth diswood received here. Hundreds of right hand as the later was shaving congressman from the Thirteenth dis-Arthur Mighall, fire warden, plan- and the visitor's mind harked back to and no democratic opponent for the ned to appeal to the war department a public description of one of the men November election, a position which ing the night, largely due to the fact for army assistance if the blaze was suspected of Mrs. Nichols' death. Fin- they share with Martin B. Bailey, renish papers all over the country had publican state senator from the Twendescribed the scar as being on the out- ty-second senatorial district. side of the finger, curving across the

> The teamster went to Dr. A. H. Anderson, the only man in this city with vote. whom he was acquainted. He communicated his suspicion. Dr. Anderson did not believe it. Several days after the teamster left Ironwood the doctor had Waltonen shave him and studied the scar. Then he took Harry Bay, a lawyer, in his confidence. Bay, too, was shaved. The doctor and the lawyer became convinced that the suspicions of the teamster were well founded. Some time clapsed while they made certain of obtaining a \$250 reward offered for Waltonen's arrest. Detectives from New York arrested him vesterday and he is said to have confessed.

Onevi Talus was sentenced to die for the murder, but sentence was commuted to a life term at Sing Sing

Waltonen's alleged confession complicated three others. The motive was robbery. The robbers obtained \$28,000 \$150,000 in jewelry.

MEXICAN FORCES CLOSING ON VILLA

American Expedition Troops Are Cooperating in Rounding Up the Bandits.

Chihuahua City, Mex., Sept. 13 .- With the troops of General Huerta Vangas posted along the line of the Mexican Central railway ready to head off any attempt of the Villa troops to escape in that direction, General Cavazos, pushing northeast with his command from Namiquipa, and the American expeditionary force forming the third section of the circle, General Trevino states here that Villa is now in a position from which it will be extremely difficult to escape.

The American expedition has forces

the lookout for the bandits. ent position into northwest Chihuahua, was sent out for more ballots

GREAT FIGHT OVER BALLOT RULES STATE

Chicago Is Battle Ground in Struggle of Aspirants for Governorship.

DUNNE PARTY CHOICE

Large Vote at Primaries Today Predicted for All Sections of Illinois.

Chleago, Sept. 13.-Their campaigns for nomination completed, republican and democratic candidates at the Illinois state primary today waited for the count of ballots which will mean success or defeat for them.

While there has been a spirited contest over virtually every state office nomination, the struggle for the republican gubernatorial nomination to a large degree overshadowed the others. This was a three-cornered battle between Frank O. Lowden of Oregon, Ill., backed by the regular republican organization in Cook county and the state; State Senator Morton D. Hull of Chicago, championed by the faction led by former Governor Charles S. Deneen, and Frank L. Smith

of Dwight, who worked independently. Predictions of victory were issued at the headquarters of each of the three candidates while the votes were being cast.

by Shooting While the Barber Kept on Shaving paign, estimated to exceed by many thousand dollars all previous primaries, is further evidenced by the number of workers on duty in the 5,369

voting precincts in the state. Governor Dunne Confident. Governor Dunne, opposed for the

Wheeler, a real estate and mining pro- cast in life's program as a teamster, democratic nomination for chief exceived a note from him in which he terday. The murder occurred in New the regular Cook county democratic organization.

One man on the state ticket, Patrick on the democratic ticket. Various A few weeks ago another Finn, the congressional and legislative canditeamster with the detective instinct, dates on both the democratic and re-It was a long and peculiar scar trict, have no republican opposition

The polls opened at 7 a. m. and will top and ending on the back of his hand. close at 5 p. m. Both democratic and republican leaders predicted a large

Governor's Family at Polls.

Governor Edward F. Dunne, his wife and son Maurice voted today in a polling place near the Dunne residence. It was the son's first vote. He hecame of age last March. Neither the governor nor his wife was aware of their son's presence until after they had voted. "Well, look who's here!" exclaimed

Mrs. Dunne kissed him. It required nine minutes for Governor Dunne to vote; Mrs. Dunne cast her ballot in three.

the governor, shaking his son's hand.

"It's the limit when a man have his wife cast a ballot for him." the governor remarked, smiling, "She can vote for city and county candidates, however, and she's going to

vote for whom she can." The governor inquired how he was in cash and jewelry, but overlooked running before leaving the polling place.

Polce Quell Disputes.

Police were called to quell disputes at the polls in several wards. One arrest was made in the 18th ward when a man who gave the name of Charles Murray was reported to have attempted to vote under another name. He fled from the polling place when the alleged attempted fraud was discovered and was pursued by a policeman who fired a shot at him.

Fist fights between workers for rival democratic factions were reported at several precincts in this ward. William Heller was stabbed during one of these altercations. Clyde L. Day a former assistant corporation counsel, and Frank L. Reid quarreled at a 6th ward polling place and were arrested, but later released. A heavy vote was cast in nearly every republican ward in the city during the early hours, while the vote in most democratic strongholds

was lighter than expected. Election officials estimated that not more than 325,000 votes, would be cast, In the Thirteenth District.

Galena, Ill., Sept. 13.—Politicians in at San Buena Ventura and Carmen on the Thirteenth congressional district made no prediction early today, be-San Buena Ventura is on the main cause of the unusually large vote wagon road to the central railway and which was being polled. The weather gives the Americans the control of the was unusually fine. In East Dubuque only easy exit for Villa from his pres- the early vote was so large that a call